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CALENDER ROLLERS AND METHOD FOR PRODUCING LAMINATED SHEET

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Sir:

This Amendment is submitted in response to the Office Action dated January 30, 2003.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE SPECIFICATION:

Please replace the following paragraph on page 4, after the title heading "Brief Description of the Drawings" beginning at line 15 and ending on line 17, before the paragraph describing Fig. 2.:



Fig. 1A is a view illustrating calendar rollers provided with a doctor knife disposed behind a nip portion of a center roller (holding roller) for holding a plastic material sheet. Fig. 1B illustrates a means for heating a release member with a band heater, indicated by reference number 42, attached to a doctor knife, indicated by reference number 41. Fig. 1C illustrates a